GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
YOUTH AFFAIRS AND SPORTS
LOK SABHA

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DEVELOPMENT AND PROMOTION OF SPORTS
TH. CHAOBA SINGH

Will the Minister of YOUTH AFFAIRS AND SPORTS be pleased to state:

(a) whether a Task Force for Development and Promotion of Infrastructure for Sports and Youth Affairs in the North Eastern States including Sikkim was constituted;

(b) if so, when was the said Task Force constituted;

(c) whether the said Task Force has recommended any funds for creation of infrastructure for Sports and Youth Affairs in the North Eastern States including Sikkim;

(d) if so, the total amount of funds recommended; and

(e) the follow-up action taken thereon?

Answer

THE MINISTER OF YOUTH AFFAIRS AND SPORTS (SUSHREE UMA BHARTI)

(a) to (e): Yes, Sir. For development and promotion of Sports and Youth Affairs in the North Eastern States including Sikkim, a Task Force was constituted by the Government on 6th March, 2000.The Task Force has recommended funds to the tune of Rs. 389.72 crores for creation of infrastructure for Sports and Youth Affairs in that region. Necessary action is being taken in this regard.